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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Michael Chopp, et al.

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Examiner: GEMBEH, Shirley V.

For: NITRIC OXIDE DONORS FOR INDUCING NEUROGENESIS

Attorney Docket No: 1059.00073

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116**

MAIL STOP AF  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated April 1, 2006, Paper Number Mail Date 20060216. Applicant hereby petitions for a two-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Granting the petition would extend the time for filing the Response to August 1, 2006. The appropriate petition fee of \$225.00 is enclosed herewith. Please amend the application as indicated below, consistent with the instructions found attached hereto:

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